In re Application of:

Application No.: 09/148,474

Docket No. 03500.012943

EIJI TAKASU, et al.

Examiner: C. Paula

Group Art Unit: 2176

Filed: September 8, 1998

For: INFORMATION PROCESSING METHOD, APPARATUS, AND STORAGE MEDIUM

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 14, 2002, please amend the above-identified application, as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please re-write the claims to read as follows. Note that all the claims currently pending in this application, including those not presently being amended, have been reproduced below for the Examiner's convenience. A marked-up copy, showing the changes made to the claims, is attached.

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